

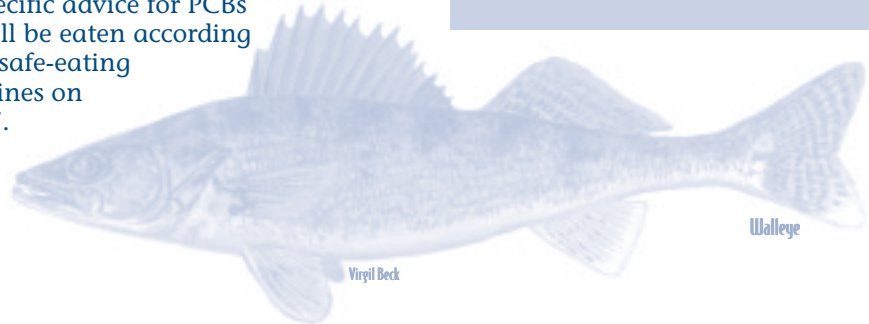
## Special advice for mercury

While all fish contain some mercury, large fish, especially walleye contain more mercury than small fish, like perch. In certain lakes and rivers, the sensitive natural water chemistry allows the mercury to bioaccumulate more easily, leading to higher levels of mercury in the fish. The following table contains special advice for fish that have been found to contain mercury at higher levels. Women of childbearing age who intend on becoming pregnant and children under 15 should be especially careful to follow the guidance in the table.



Yellow Perch

The lakes and rivers listed in the table have been tested and found to contain fish with higher levels of mercury. **This advice is just for the species and sizes of fish listed below.** Other species caught from these waters but not listed below or in the specific advice for PCBs can still be eaten according to the safe-eating guidelines on page 7.



Walleye

## Important note regarding fish on the mercury portion of the advisory:

Mercury is distributed throughout a fish's muscle tissue (the part you eat) rather than in the fat and skin. The only way to reduce mercury intake is to reduce the amount of contaminated fish you eat.

| County          | Water body                   | Women of childbearing age and children under 15   |                   | County      | Water body                      | Women of childbearing age and children under 15              |                   |
|-----------------|------------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------|
|                 |                              | DO NOT EAT  | Eat 1 meal/month* |             |                                 | DO NOT EAT   | Eat 1 meal/month* |
| Ashland         | English Lake                 | Walleye larger than 17"   |                   | Douglas     | St. Louis River/Superior Harbor | Walleye larger than 20"                                      |                   |
| Ashland         | Spillerberg Lake             |   | Yellow Perch      | Florence    | Brule River Flowage             | Walleye larger than 20"                                      |                   |
| Bayfield        | Diamond Lake                 | Walleye larger than 20"   |                   | Florence    | Sand Lake (T38 R18E S21)        | Walleye larger than 18"                                      |                   |
| Bayfield        | Long Lake (T48 R5W S6)       | Walleye larger than 15"<br>Largemouth Bass larger than 14"                                    | Yellow Perch      | Fond du Lac | Mauthe Lake                     |  | Yellow Perch      |
| Bayfield        | Siskiwit Lake                | Walleye larger than 20"   |                   | Forest      | Deep Hole Lake                  | Walleye larger than 18"                                      |                   |
| Bayfield        | Tahkodah Lake                | Walleye - all sizes   | All Panfish       | Forest      | Julia Lake (T38 R12E S06)       | Walleye larger than 17"                                      |                   |
| Chippewa        | Horseshoe Lake (T32 R8W S33) | Walleye larger than 20"   |                   | Forest      | Little Sand Lake                | Northern Pike larger than 25"                                | Bluegill          |
| Chippewa        | Round Lake (T32 R9W S14)     | Walleye larger than 22"   | Black Crappie     | Forest      | Van Zile Lake                   | Largemouth Bass - all sizes<br>Northern Pike larger than 24" | Bluegill          |
| Clark (Jackson) | Black River: Lake Arbutus    | Walleye larger than 22"<br>Channel Catfish larger than 25"<br>Smallmouth Bass larger than 17" | Black Crappie     | Iron        | Bearskull Lake                  | Walleye larger than 18"                                      |                   |
| Clark           | Sherwood Lake                |   | Black Crappie     | Iron        | Gile Flowage                    | Walleye larger than 19"                                      |                   |
| Douglas         | Lyman Lake                   | Walleye larger than 17"   |                   | Iron        | Island Lake (T44 R1E S25)       | Walleye larger than 18"                                      |                   |
| Douglas         | Minnesuing Lake              | Walleye larger than 17"   | Black Crappie     | Iron        | Lake Six                        |  | Yellow Perch      |
| Douglas         | St. Croix Flowage            |   | Black Crappie     | Iron        | North Bass Lake                 | Largemouth Bass - all sizes                                  |                   |
|                 |                              |   |                   | Iron        | Owl Lake                        | Walleye larger than 17"                                      | Black Crappie     |



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| Iron      | Turtle-Flambeau Flowage and Trude Lake                                      | Walleye larger than 20"   |  | Oneida          | Willow Flowage                      | Walleye larger than 20"                         |                   |
| Jackson   | Cranberry Flowage - Upper   | Largemouth Bass larger than 19"   | Black Crappie<br>Bluegill larger than 8" | Oneida          | Willow Lake (T37 R4E S09)           | Walleye larger than 20"                         |                   |
| Jackson   | Harkner Flowage   |   | Black Crappie, Yellow Perch              | Portage         | Collins Lake                        | Walleye larger than 20"                         |                   |
| Jackson   | Potter's Flowage  | Largemouth Bass larger than 18"   | Black Crappie, Yellow Perch              | Price           | Bass Lake (T40 R2W S15)             | Walleye larger than 15"                         |                   |
| Jackson   | Townline Flowage  |   | Black Crappie, Yellow Perch              | Price           | Butternut Lake (T40 R01W S18)       | Walleye larger than 20"                         |                   |
| Jackson   | White Tail Flowage  | Northern Pike larger than 22"   |  | Price           | Flambeau River at Crowley Flowage   | Walleye larger than 23"                         |                   |
| Langlade  | Greater Bass Lake   | Largemouth Bass - all sizes<br>Northern Pike larger than 22"                                |  | Price           | Flambeau River at Pixley Flowage    | Walleye larger than 22"                         |                   |
| Langlade  | Summit Lake   | Largemouth Bass - all sizes   |  | Price           | Musser Lake                         | Walleye larger than 24"                         |                   |
| Lincoln   | Pesabic Lake  |   | Black Crappie                            | Price           | Solberg Lake                        | Walleye larger than 22"                         |                   |
| Lincoln   | Somo Lake   | Walleye larger than 20"   | Bluegill                                 | Rusk (Chippewa) | Sand Lake (T33 R08W S34)            | Walleye larger than 21"                         |                   |
| Lincoln   | Spirit River Flowage  |   | Black Crappie                            | Rusk            | Flambeau River at Dairyland Flowage | Walleye larger than 17"                         |                   |
| Manitowoc | Pigeon Lake   | Largemouth Bass larger than 17"   |  | Sawyer          | Black Lake                          |   | Black Crappie     |
| Marathon  | Big Bass Lake   | Walleye larger than 18"<br>Largemouth Bass larger than 18"                                  |  | Sawyer          | Ghost Lake                          | Walleye larger than 20"                         |                   |
| Marinette | Lake Noqueby  | Walleye larger than 19"   |  | Sawyer          | Spider and Clear Lakes              | Walleye larger than 24"                         |                   |
| Marinette | Menominee River at Lower Scott Flowage                                      | Walleye larger than 19"   | All Panfish                              | Sawyer          | Windigo Lake                        | Walleye larger than 19"                         |                   |
| Marinette | Peshtigo River at Caldron Falls Flowage                                     | Walleye larger than 20"   | All Panfish                              | Sheboygan       | Big Elkhart Lake                    | Walleye larger than 19"                         |                   |
| Marinette | Peshtigo River at High Falls Flowage  | Walleye larger than 23"   | Black Crappie                            | Taylor          | Sackett Lake                        | Walleye larger than 19"                         |                   |
| Monroe    | North Flowage   | Largemouth Bass larger than 17"   | Black Crappie                            | Taylor          | South Harper Lake                   | Walleye larger than 19"                         |                   |
| Monroe    | Ranch Creek at Lost Lake  | Largemouth Bass larger than 15"   | All Panfish                              | Vilas           | Annabelle Lake                      | Walleye larger than 18"                         |                   |
| Oneida    | Currie Lake   | Walleye larger than 19"   |  | Vilas           | Broken Bow Lake                     | Largemouth Bass larger than 15"                 |                   |
| Oneida    | Dog Lake (T38 R11E S15)   | Walleye larger than 20"   |  | Vilas           | Ike Walton Lake                     | Walleye - all sizes                             |                   |
| Oneida    | Emma Lake   | Walleye larger than 20"   |  | Vilas           | Jag Lake                            | Walleye larger than 20"                         |                   |
| Oneida    | Franklin Lake   | Walleye larger than 21"   |  | Vilas           | Kentuck Lake                        | Walleye larger than 28"                         | Black Crappie     |
| Oneida    | Hemlock Lake  | Walleye larger than 17"   | All Panfish                              | Vilas           | Lynx Lake (T43 R7E S18)             | Walleye larger than 18"                         |                   |
| Oneida    | Hodstradt Lake  | Walleye larger than 19"   |  | Vilas           | Shannon Lake                        | Largemouth Bass larger than 16"                 |                   |
| Oneida    | Long Lake (T37 R7E S10)   | Walleye larger than 21"   |  | Vilas           | Snipe Lake                          | Walleye larger than 19"                         | Yellow Perch      |
| Oneida    | McGrath Lake  | Largemouth Bass larger than 18"   | All Panfish                              | Vilas           | White Birch Lake                    | Walleye larger than 21"                         |                   |
| Oneida    | Moen's Lake Chain (includes Moen's, Second, Third, Fourth, and Fifth Lakes) | Walleye larger than 19"   |  |                 |                                     |   |                   |
| Oneida    | Sugar Camp Chain of Lakes (includes Chain, Dam, Echo, Sand and Stone Lakes) | Walleye larger than 22"   |  |                 |                                     |   |                   |
| Oneida    | Sugar Camp Lake   | Walleye larger than 18"<br>Smallmouth Bass larger than 17"<br>Northern Pike larger than 28" |  |                 |                                     |   |                   |
| Oneida    | Whitefish Lake  |   | All Panfish                              |                 |                                     |   |                   |



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